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METHOD FOR SECURING WEAPONS PROVIDED WITH SAFETY DEVICE

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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE

FILED ELECTRONICALLY ON SEPTEMBER 24, 2009

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated May 29, 2009. The fee for the extension of time has been paid electronically. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

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